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# **DX News**

Wishing all readers, contributors and advertisers a very Happy Christmas.

DX-World will continue to serve you with DX info throughout the entire festive period.



#### Time to enjoy radio!!!

Solar Flux = 118

Sunspot Count = 127

We haven't seen numbers like this for a very long time. New and old radio hams alike may well start to work stations they thought not possible in recent times. Get on air (any mode!) and see what juicy DX you can work in conjunction with the higher than normal solar figures!

### NCDXF: 2021 End of year message

Dear DXer:

While 2021 didn't bring DXPeditions to rare entities, several are planned for 2022.

NCDXF has funded 3Y0J, led by Ken Opskar, LA7GIA. After the Braveheart became unavailable, Ken picked up the team, found a new boat, and a new grant. We all wish Ken and team the best success for this #2 most wanted in November 2022. This should give many an early Christmas present next year!

NCDXF also funded Crozet (FT5/W), of the team F6CUK, and F6EXV. Thierry will sail to Crozet on a TAAF supply vessel, staying for 3 months. Thierry's only responsibility while there is Amateur radio operation. #3 on the most wanted.

We continued with support and infrastructure projects: IARU Beacon project, and RiBs. We've also provided finance and support for the Youth On The Air (YOTA) program, Dave Kalter Memorial Youth DX Adventure (YDXA), WRTC 2023, and Contest University. CYOC (Sable Island) funded in 2020, is now scheduled for 2022.

https://www.dx-world.net/ncdxf-newsletter/

#### 3Y0J, Bouvet 2022 -update

We're happy to inform about some news related to the upcoming Bouvet DXpedition. We have selected the Norwegian brand Arctic Lavvo who will supply us with their Venor Gamme tent. Arctic Lavvo will deliver custom made tents to the project that includes three tents for radio operation and sleeping. The manufacturer having its factory at latitude 70N is taking the extra step to ensure their high-quality products will sustain the Bouvet climate. The tent having been tested at JW Svalbard in extreme conditions up to 40 m/s will be improved further by adding extra guying levels and by strengthening the aluminium frame. We're confident selecting a Norwegian manufacturer with huge experience from this kind of climate is a wise decision. <a href="https://www.dx-world.net/3y0j-dxpedition-to-bouvet-island/">https://www.dx-world.net/3y0j-dxpedition-to-bouvet-island/</a>

# **DXCC**

# This week on air

This can change daily, please visit <a href="https://www.dx-world.net/">https://www.dx-world.net/</a> for updates.

**6Y, JAMAICA** Lester, W8YCM is operating as 6Y6Y until January 2022. QSL via home call, direct only.

**7P, LESOTHO** Chris, ZS1CDG is once again operating as 7P8GOZ until December 26. Activity in 'holiday-style' using FT8 on 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter. QSL via home call, LoTW.

**8Q, MALDIVES** Tom, OE1TRI will be active as 8Q7TR from South Ari Atoll between December 28 and January 3. Activity on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL via bureau.

**8Q, MALDIVES** Tor, DG7RO is staying at the Fihaljoli Island Resort until Christmas 2021. Activity in 'holiday-style' as 8Q7RO. QSL via homecall, LoTW. Tor mentions there is more info to follow regarding his 8Q7RO activity. <a href="https://www.grz.com/db/8q7ro">https://www.grz.com/db/8q7ro</a>

9J, ZAMBIA Mario, IK1MYT is once again QRV from Lusaka as 9J2MYT until June 2022.

Activity on 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 meter using SSB. QSL via IZ3KVD, Club Log OQRS. **HR, HONDURAS** Gerard F2JD is active as HR5/call from Copan until April 5, 2022. Activity on HF using CW, SSB and digi. QSL via F6AJA, direct or bureau. <a href="http://lesnouvellesdx.fr/voirlogs.php">http://lesnouvellesdx.fr/voirlogs.php</a> **HS, THAILAND** Brad, VK2BY is once again active as HS0ZNR from Nam Yuen district until January 21. QSL via VK2BY and LoTW.

**JD1, OGASAWARA** Harry, JG7PSJ is once again active as JD1BMH until January 1, 2022. Operation from 80 to 10 meter using CW, SSB and RTTY.

**OX, GREENLAND** Nils, SM3UQK is once again operating as OX/SE3A until early January. Operation likely on 40 and 20 meter.

**SV1/A, MOUNT ATHOS** SV2RSG/A is once again active on FT8 & CW. However, also be aware of fake station too. Double check with SV1RP if you worked the real one or not. Length of new

activity is unknown.

**V4, ST KITTS** Victor, WB0AA is QRV as V4/call until December 29. Activity from 160 to 10 meter using CW and SSB. QSL via home call, LoTW.

**V5, NAMIBIA** Gunter, DK2WH is again as V51WH and V55Y until March 2022. QSL via DK2WH, direct or bureau.

# Coming up soon

**EX, KYRGYZSTAN** Val, US4MAO will be active as EX0NN starting from January 2022. Operation during his spare time using verticals from 40 to 15 meter using CW and FT8.

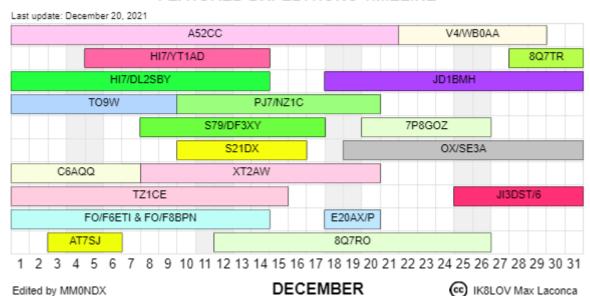
**FS, ST MARTIN** David, F8AAN will once again be operating as FS/call from January 1 until January 20. Operation from 40 to 10 meter using CW only. QSL via Club Log.

**FS, ST MARTIN** Jeff, VA3QSL will be QRV as PJ7/call from February 6 until February 22. Activity in 'holiday-style' from 40 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and digi. QSL via home call, LoTW.

**PJ7, ST MAARTEN** Jeff, VA3QSL will once again be QRV as PJ7/call from January 4 until February 6. Activity in 'holiday-style' from 40 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and digi. QSL via home call, LoTW.

# **DXCC timeline**





# **IOTA**

## This week on air

#### **ASIA**

**AS-032 Tanega Isl** JS6RRR/6, JI3DST/6 and JJ5RBH/6 are active until January 10. QRV from 80 to 2 meter using CW, SSB, FT, RTTY and FM. Check with each operator regarding QSL info.

## **SOUTH AMERICA**

**SA-026 Algodao Isl** Felipe, PU2OYT is operating as call/P until December 24. Operation mostly on 10 meter using SSB and on 15 meter using FT8. QSL via home call.

## **OCEANIA**

**OC-209 Karakelong Isl** Agus YB1TDL/8 is now operating until December 29. QSL via home call direct, LoTW or Club Log OQRS.

# **Antarctica base stations**

**Concordia Base** David has recently been active on 20 SSB as FT4YM (check 14133 or 14140 time to time) from Base Concordia. In early December, he will move to Base Little Dome C. QRV until February/March 2022.

**Halley VI Base** Seba, SQ1SGB will again be active from Halley VI(a) Base, Antarctica as VP8/SQ1SGB starting November 18 and staying <u>until January 31</u>. During his stay, building of a rhobmic antenna (primarily for aircraft comms on 40m) is planned. This was also allow Seba to transmit on that band wheen time permits. Check 7190. QSL via EB7DX.

King Se-Jong Base As part of the next scientific team, look for Lee, DS4NMJ to again be active from the King Se-Jong Korean Antarctic Base on King George Island, South Shetlands as DT8A in 2021. QRV on FT8, CW & SSB, 100w. QSL via DS5TOS. Dates to beconfirmed.

Syowa Station Takumi, JG3PLH is the operator who will be stationed at Showa Research Base, Queen Maud Land, AN-015 lasting through to January 2022. QRV as8J1RL on HF, CW, Digital Modes. QSL via the bureau to 8J1RL, or direct to JG2MLI.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

# Announced DX

THE NEWCOMERS

7F. CAYMAN ISL Look for KO7SS as 7F2SS during

**ZF, CAYMAN ISL** Look for KO7SS as ZF2SS during the ARRL DX CW Contest (Feb 19-20, 2022). Vertical and wire antennas. QSL via LoTW. Single op, low power activity.

## THE REMINDERS

**5H, TANZANIA** Roman, RA/3W3RR (ex-9Q9RR) has announced plans to be active from Zanzibar island, AF-032. Currently no set dates as to when 5H1RR activity may happen due to COVID-19. More info to follow in due course..

**5Z, KENYA** Ferdy, HB9DSP will be operating as 5Z4/call from the Scorpion Villa in Malindi between January 12 and January 27, 2022. This is his first DXpedition, look for Ferdy on 20, 15 and 10 meter using mainly SSB with some FT8.

A3, TONGA Stan LZ1GC and Ivan LZ1PM will be operating as A35GC sometime in 2022. Activity from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB, RTTY and FT8. Logs uploaded during the DXpedition to Club Log. QSL via LZ1GC OQRS, direct or bureau.

CYO, SABLE ISL Permission for a DXpedition has been authorized with the team: WA2DAN, N2IEN, K5DHY, K5YY, K4UEE, WW2DX, AA4NC, N8AA, N2TU. The CYOC Sable Island DXpedition team will be active sometime 2022 depending Covid. http://cy0dxpedition.net/index.html

**D4, CAPE VERDE** Rob, DM4AO will be active from Ilha de Santiago as D44AO during February 13-25. QRV from 80 to 10 meter using mainly (possibly 160m) with 100w and verticals. No FT4/FT8. OSL via home call.

**D6, COMOROS** A large team by the F5KOP team was supposed to be active from mid to end January 2022. Due to Covid situation this is now on hold. Plans are to be on air with 5 stations from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB, RTTY and FT4/5. https://comores2022.wordpress.com/

**E5, SOUTH COOKS** Pete, ZL4TE holds the South Cooks callsign E51RMP and mentionshe will be active starting mid-January for 10 days. He plans some HF QRP and VHF Digimodes. QSL via home call.

**E6, NIUE** Stan LZ1GC and Ivan LZ1PM will be operating as E6AM during October- November 2022. Activity from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB, RTTY and FT8. Logsuploaded during the DXpedition to Club Log. QSL via LZ1GC OQRS, direct or bureau.

**FOO, AUSTRAL ISL** Jacek, SP5EAQ will be operating from Rimatara Island during March 2022. Operation as FO/call and TX5AQ (CQWW WPX) on HF using SSB only. This is all depending the Covid pandemic.

**FP, ST PIERRE & MIQUELON** Chris, VO1CH updates DX-World that due to Covid-19,the TO5T DXpedition to St Pierre & Miquelon has been postponed until August 2022 or 2023. Activity from 160 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and FT8. <a href="http://www.to5t.com/">http://www.to5t.com/</a>

**FS, ST MARTIN** Look for Pier, FS/W1NA and Marco, FS/KC9FFV in future activity during various periods next year. QRV in 'holiday-style' from 40 to 6 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL both call via IZ1MHY, LoTW.

FT/W CROZET ISL After many months of efforts and negotiations, the TAAF (the body in charge

of the FTs administration) has granted permission for a one-man nearly 3-month operation from Crozet Island to Thierry F6CUK, from mid-December 2022 to mid-March 2023 (be patient!) Exact dates will come just prior to the operation. The last activity from Crozet was in 2009 by Florentin F4DYW as FT5WQ. <a href="http://crozet2022.r-e-f.org/">http://crozet2022.r-e-f.org/</a>

**FW, WALLIS & FUTUNA** Tom, KH0/KC0W informs: due to Covid this trip will be postponed. As soon the situation changes Tom will let us know when he departs Saipan.

HC8, GALAPAGOS ISL Team HD8M (WB2REM, VO1IDX, KH6M and KE2D) will be operating from Santa Cruz between March 2 and March 11, 2022. <a href="http://www.hd8m.com/">http://www.hd8m.com/</a>
J8, GRENADINES Brian, GW4DVB will be operating as J88PI from Palm Island during February 24 and March 8, 2022. Activity from 40 to 6 meter using mainly SSB and FT8.QSL via home call.

**JW, SVALBARD** Max, ON5UR and team will be active as JW5E between April 18 and April 29, 2022. More to follow soon. QSL via MOURX.

**JX, JAN MAYEN** Stian, LB5SH will once again be active as JX/call late June 2022 for about 5 days. Operation primarily SSB and FT8. More to follow.

**KHO, NORTHERN MARIANA ISL** BJ, WA7WJR (ex-XV9WJR) hopes to be active from Saipan / Tinian during April / May 2022. Activity depends on Covid protocols and if quarantine is still required by then the trip will be cancelled or postponed. If QRV he will operate CW, SSB & RTTY (no SSB) on 40-20-17-15m. QSL via home call, LoTW.

**KH2, GUAM** Look for BJ as KH2/WA7WJR during March 2022. Activity depending the Covis pandemic. Operation on 40, 20, 17 and 15 meter using CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, LoTW.

**KH4, MIDWAY ISL** Ron, KH6DV announces a trip to Midway for about 2 weeks (if the COVID 19 is under control). Midway Atoll is #14 on the Clublog most wanted list and has not been active for some time. The aircraft used for the logistics flights has been downsized and visitors are no longer allowed to fly to the island. More to follow.

**KH8, SWAINS ISL** Due to the Covid-19 pandemic it is still impossible to travel to Swains Island. Alex Jennings (owner of island) and the team will start planning again sometime March 2023.

**P2, PAPUA NEW GUINEA** A DXpedition will take place in honor of the 175<sup>th</sup>anniversary of the Nikolay Miklouho Maclay. More to follow. QSL via RM0L.

**P4, ARUBA** Matthias, DK4MN will be operating again as P4/call from January 23 until February 1, 2022. An entry in the CQ 160 CW contest is included as P40AA. Focus on the low bands and WARC using CW, SSB and FT8. QSL via DL4MM.

**PJ7, SINT MAARTEN** Tom, AA9A will once again be active as PJ7AA between February 26 to March 26, 2022. QRV from 80 to 10 meter using CW, SSB, FT8. All QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and Club Loq.

**PYOF, FERNANDO DE NORONHA** We have no firm dates on this activity, but Rodrigo PY2KC mentions he will try to be active from Fernando da Noronha sometime in 2022 as PY0FFF. Activity depends on Covid situation.

**PZ, SURINAME** Fox, PD0FOX will be active as PZ5JT from Zanderij. More to follow soon. **TL, CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC** The Italian DX Team will be operating as TL8AA(CW, SSB and RTTY) and as TL8ZZ (FT8) sometimes spring 2022. Activity with 7 operators and 4 stations from 160 to 6 meter. More to follow.

**V3, BELIZE** Look for V3T during the ARRL International CW DX contest (Febr 19-20). QSL via WC0W.

**V4, ST KITTS** Chuck, KG9N will be active as V4/call between February 8 and March 1. Operation on all bands and all modes. QSL via LoTW and bureau.

**VK9C, COCOS KEELING ISL** Zeljko, VK6VY together with VK6CQ, VK6SJ and perhaps others will be operating as VK9CM between October 26 and November 3, 2022. Activity from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB and FT8. An entry in the CQWW SSB contest is included as VK9C. QSL via EB7DX.

**VK9N, NORFOLK ISL** Nick, VK2DX informs DX-World he will be moving to Norfolk island later this year, and with a bit of luck, should be QRV as VK9DX from Christmas-time onward. "80m is my favourite band so expect plenty of action there, all modes. Five acres hilltop property 400ft above ocean, with a number of 40m Norfolk pine trees. Unfortunately, both NSW and Norfolk Island are in heavy lockdown but we are optimistic that travel will resume in a month or two".

**VP2M, MONTSERRAT** Team VP2MSS will be active from Montserrat during the ARRL DXCW Contest (February 19-20, 2022). QSL via K1QX or LoTW.

**VP2M, MONTSERRAT** Thaire, W2APF will be operating as VP2MDX between January 9 and February 18. Activity from 80 to 10 meter using CW and SSB. QSL via W2APF.

VP2V, BRITISH VIRGIN ISL Dario, KP4DO will be operating from Tortola as VP2V/call. Dates

not yet mentioned. More to follow.

**VP9, BERMUDA** Jeff, N6GQ will be operating as VP9I during the ARRLD DX CW Contest(February 19-20). QSL via WW3S.

**XT, BURKINA FASO** Max, DK1MAX will once again be active as XT2MAX sometime 2022. QSL via EA5GL. Activation depending COVID.

**YN, NICARAGUA** Robert, DL7VOA will be QRV from Guacalito de la Isla as YN5AO. Dates are still in planning phase due to COVID. Operation in 'holiday-style' with a focus on the low bands. QSL via Club Log OQRS. <a href="https://www.qrz.com/db/YN5AO">https://www.qrz.com/db/YN5AO</a>

# **Announced IOTA**

## **THE NEWCOMERS**

## **SOUTH AMERICA**

**SA-023 Ilha dos Frades** A team led by PY6TV will be operating as ZY6A on January 20-23. Operation on HF.

## **THE REMINDERS**

### **ASIA**

AS-104 Rykacheva Isl Igor, UA9KDF recently tweeted that RT9K team plan activity from Rykacheva Island as R150WS. Dates not yet set but sometime during the period March 1 to April 30, 2022. Upates to follow..

#### **EUROPE**

**EU-086 Mestnyy Isl** Depending on weather conditions, Andrey R1II and Tatyana RL1I plan activity sometime in the second half of January 2022. QRV as RI1PP for 1-2 days only. QSL via R1II. Note – RRA: RR-06-29 (new one), RDA: NO-02.

**EU-181 Sveti Ivan Isl** During the IOTA contest 2022 (July 30-31), a joint Bulgarian Greek team will be active as LZ0KP. QSL via SV2CLJ.

**EU-189 Isle of Rockall** A team with Nobby G0VJG will be operating as MM0UKI/P from the most inhospitable places on Earth. Plan is to be QRV from June 6 until June 19, 2022. Nobby will be the sole operator for 1-2 days depending the weather. QSL via M0OXO, OQRS. https://www.rockall2022.org/

#### **NORTH AMERICA**

**NA-070 Kiska Isl** The postponed KL7RRC IOTA DXpedition to Kiska Island has been rescheduled and is now expected to take place on July 4-11, 2022. The team includesN3QQ, N6XG, N7OT, NL8F and W8HC. OSL via N7RO.

NA-114 Terre de Haut Members of Radio Club de Montceau will be operating as TO6S between January 20 and February 1, 2022. QSL via F6KJS. <a href="https://les-saintes.f6kjs.fr/">https://les-saintes.f6kjs.fr/</a> NA-249 Vieques Isl Team KP3RE will be operating between February 25-27, 2022. Operation on all bands and all modes. QSL via QRZ.com instructions.

#### **OCEANIA**

**OC-012 Yap Isl** Tom, KC0W has plans to be active from Yap Island as V63COW. Exact dates will be announced as soon as travel restrictions to Micronesia are lifted. QRV on HFusing only CW. QSL via home call, no LoTW.

**OC-037 New Zealand Sub Antarctic Islands (Campbell Island)** The Perseverance DX Group (PDXG) has some unfinished business. Several members participated on the 2012 ZL9 activation that was cut short by weather. After their successful VP8PJ South Orkney Islands 2020 DXpedition, PDXG is pleased to announce their intention to activatethe New Zealand Sub-Antarctic Islands (ZL9), Campbell Island. Club Log #24 most wanted, in the 2022 time-frame.

The plan includes 160-10m operation, CW/SSB/RTTY/FT8, with emphasis on 160, 80, 60, 40 and propagation dependent, 12 and 10 meters. However, the Covid-19 lockdown has caused significant delays and uncertainty.

# Special calls

## THE NEWCOMERS

HA, HUNGARY Special callsign HA21XMAS is being activated on 14-26 December on various bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via LoTW and eQSL. (TNX 425DX) **ON, BELGIUM** Celebrating the 75th anniversary of UBA (Belgium's national IARU society, established on 25 January 1947), 64 special event stations scattered all over the country will be active from 1 January until 28 February: ON75AAA, ON75ACC, ON75ALT, ON75ARA, ON75AST, ON75ATH, ON75ATO, ON75BDX, ON75BTS, ON75BXE, ON75CDZ, ON75CLR, ON75CRD, ON75DIG, ON75DST, ON75EKO, ON75GBN, ON75GBX, ON75GDV, ON75GNT, ON75GTM, ON75HCC, ON75IPR, ON75KSD, ON75KTK, ON75LGE, ON75LIR, ON75LLV, ON75LUS, ON75LVN, ON75MCL, ON75MLB, ON75MWV, ON75NBT, ON75NNV, ON75NOK, ON75NOL, ON75ODE, ON75ONZ, ON75ORA, ON75OSA, ON75OSB, ON75OST, ON75PHI, ON75RAF, ON75RAM, ON75RAT, ON75RCA, ON75RCN, ON75REM, ON75RST, ON75RSX, ON75SNW, ON75TLS, ON75TRA, ON75TRC, ON75TWS, ON75UBA, ON75WLD, ON75WRA, ON75WRC, ON75WTO, ON75YLC and ON75ZTM. OSL via Club Log's OORS (direct or bureau; requests must be sent within 31 March); those who do not use Club Log must go direct to ON9TT (Marc Domen, Ferdinand Coosemansstraat 32, 2600 Antwerpen, Belgium), or request bureau cards by email to uba75qsl@uba.be (uba75swl@uba.be for SWLs). Two series of awards will be available for download, details will be published on <a href="https://hamlog.online/">https://hamlog.online/</a> (TNX 425DX) UA, RUSSIA Special callsigns R2022NY, R22HNY, RA22NY, RG22NY, RJ22NY, RK22NY, RL22NY, RM22NY, RO22NY, RQ22NY, RT22NY, RW22NY, RX22NY and RY22NY will be active from 25 December to 14 January for the "Russian New Year 2022" radio marathon organized for the sixth year in a row by the Miller DX Club. OSLs via RO7L. A number of certificates will be available. (TNX 425DX)

## THE REMINDERS

## The 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty

A special station RL60ANT is dedicated to the signing of the Antarctic Treaty by France in1961. Antarctic Treaty entered into force on June 23rd, 1961, covering demilitarization of the Antarctic region, its use for exclusively peaceful purposes and transformation into a zonefree of nuclear weapons.

Initially, the Treaty was signed by 12 countries: Australia, Argentina, Belgium, Great Britain, New Zealand, Norway, USSR (Russia), USA, France, Chile, South Africa, Japan.In honour of the 60th anniversary of the event, <u>until December 31.</u> Russian Robinson club together with SRR, Hamlog and other interested organizations plans to conduct a special activity usingh 12 different callsigns, by the number of countries that originally signed the Antarctic Treaty:

- R60ANT Russia
- RA60ANT South Africa
- RB60ANT Belgium
- RC60ANT Chile
- **RG60ANT** Argentina
- RJ60ANT Japan
- RK60ANT United Kingdom
- RL60ANT France
- RN60ANT Norway
- RT60ANT Australia
- RU60ANT USA
- RZ60ANT New Zealand

Plus a special callsign from Antarctica RI60ANT.

Russian Robinson Club together with SRR and HAMLOG.Online will issue a special awardand plaque.

To receive the award it is enough to make 1 QSO / SWL with each of 12 stations using special callsigns in a period from October 1st to December 31st, 2021.

Missed special callsigns can be replaced by callsigns of ordinary radio amateurs from appropriate country. For example, missed RA60ANT QSO can be replaced by any 3 QSOswith South Africa. RI60ANT counts for any missed special callsign.

### 25<sup>th</sup> GDXF Anniversary Award until end December

Free PDF award in A4-size for self-printing in three classes: Basic – Classic – Trophy.Each class contains a design with four different images of successful DXpeditions.

Basic: 100 points

- Classic: 500 points
- Trophy: 1,000 points
  - Each QSO on 160 to 6m (including 60m) in each main operating mode CW, Phone or Digital with a GDXF member counts as 10. At least one QSO with DL25GDXF or DF0GDXis mandatory!
  - **3A, MONACO** Members of the Association of Radio Amateurs of Monaco (ARM) plan to be active as **3A5M** to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the death of Prince Albert 1 of Monaco (1848-1922). QRV on HF bands, CW/SSB/Digi during the period April 1 to May 31, 2022.
  - **4K, AZERBAIJAN** Special callsigns **4J880M**, **4J880N**, **4J880NZ**, **4J880NZM**, **4K880NZ** and **4K880NZM** celebrate the 880<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Nizami Ganjavi (1141-1209), born in nowadays Azerbaijan and generally considered the greatest romantic epic poet in Persian literature. QRV until end 2021. (TNX 425DX)
  - **9A, CROATIA** Look for **9A10FF** for the Croatian Flora Fauna ARC to use <u>during 2021</u> to celebrate its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary. QSL via LoTW or via 9A2MF direct or bureau. (TNX 425DX) **9A, CROATIA** The Radio Klub Grada Zaboka (9A0Z) has been active as **9A2CHRIS** since early April to honour the memory of Kresimir "Chris" Kovarik, 9A5K (8 May 1974 27 February 2019). Activity will continue <u>until the end of the year</u>. QSL via LoTW and eQSL; a special QSL card will be downloadable on http://www.9a0z.com/. Past Presidentof the Croatian Amateur Radio Association (HRS) and Vice Chairman of the IARU Region
  - 1 HF Committee, Chris was the author of DXlog.net and a competitor in WRTC 2006,2014 and 2018. In 2019 he was inducted into the CQ Contest Hall of Fame. (TNX 425DX)
  - **9A, CROATIA 9A64AA** is the special callsign that Tom, 9A2AA is using <u>until the end ofthe</u> <u>year</u> to mark his 64<sup>th</sup> year in amateur radio. QSL via home call.
  - **9A, CROATIA 9A302AA** is the callsign that Tom, 9A2AA is using <u>until 13 July 2022</u> to celebrae the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Croatia's independence. QSL via 9A2AA. (TNX 425DX) **BV, TAIWAN** Kenichi/JP1RIW/BM2JCC operates as **BX30ARL** on 40-6m <u>until the end of 2021</u> to mark the 30th anniversary of the Chinese Taipei Amateur Radio League. QSL via BM2JCC. (TNX DXNL)
  - CT, PORTUGAL Valdemar, CT7AQD will be active as CQ750RSI <a href="https://docs.ncb/html/">https://docs.ncb/html/</a> to commemorate the 750th anniversary of the birth of Elizabeth of Aragon (1271-1336), queen consort of Portugal and patron saint of the city of Coimbra. QSL via home call. (TNX 425DX) CX, URUGUAY CW60ATS marks the 60th anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty System <a href="https://docs.ncb//>until end 2021">until end 2021</a>. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, Club Log. (TNX DXNL)
  - **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DP70HSC** will be in use <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebratethe 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Radio Telegraphy High Speed Club (http://www.highspeedclub.org/). QSL via bureau and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
  - **DL, GERMANY** Look for **DR165TESLA** by members of DARC OV Mainz <u>during 2021</u>. This to celebrate the 165<sup>th</sup> birthday of Nikola Tesla. QRV on all bans using all modes. QSL via DK8ZZ, Club Log OQRS, LoTW. Your card is not needed.
  - **DL, GERMANY** The Radio High Speed Telegraphy Club (HSC) celebrates its 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary with the callsign **DKOHSC** (special DOK HSC70) <u>during 2021</u>. A good opportunity to work this and the club's other stations, DL0HSC and DF0HSC, will beduring the upcoming HSC Contest. QSL via bureau. <a href="http://www.highspeedclub.org/">http://www.highspeedclub.org/</a>(TNX DXNL) **DL, GERMANY** Uwe, DO2PZ will be active as **DB100AVUS** <a href="throughout 2021">throughout 2021</a> to celebrate The 100th anniversary of the AVUS (Automobil-Verkehrs- und Uebungsstrasse, "Automobile traffic and training road"). Located in the south-west of Berlin and opened in1921, it is the oldest controlled-access motorway in Europe. Until 1998, it was also used as a motor racing circuit. QSL via DO2PZ, direct or bureau. (TNX 425DX)
  - **DL, GERMANY DR60ANT** (special DOK 60ANT, WAP-314) and **DQ60ANT** (special 60ANT, WAP-316) draws attention to the Antarctic Treaty System, which came into force60 years ago. QRV <u>until the end of 2021</u>. QSL via bureau, DR60ANT also direct via DL2VFR. (TNX DXNL)
  - **DL, GERMANY DP44WCA** (special DOK 44WCA) will be used for WWFF and WCA activations <u>until April 17, 2022</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically with a card.(TNX DXNL)
  - **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DR50AGCW** will be active <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebratethe 50th anniversary of the Arbeitsgemeinschaft CW DL (Activity Group CW DL. QSL viabureau. (TNX 425DX)
  - **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DK30FFO** is active <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 30th anniversary of DARC's Ortsverband Frankfurt. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau and eventually LoTW.
  - **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DL65ESSEN** is active <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of DARC's Ortsverband Essen. QSL via the bureau and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)

- **DL, GERMANY** The special event station **DR125MB** (special DOK 125MB) draws attention to the Muengsten Bridge, Germany's highest railway bridge, built 125 years ago. QRV from Dec. 1 until Nov. 30 next year. QSL via bureau, LoTW, DD3JN (d). (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY DL70GREIF** (special DOK 70DQFD) celebrates the 70 year old training sailing ship Greif <u>until the end of 2021</u>. An award is also available. QSL via bureau, eQSL,DCL. (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY** Celebrating DARC Ortsverband Backnang's 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary, special callsign **DP70BAC** will be active <u>until the end of the year</u>. QSL via DH1OK and eQSL. Alsoactive <u>until 31 December</u> will be **DM50ZVN**, a special callsign celebrating DARC Ortsverband Schoenau's golden jubilee. QSL via the bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY DROOEBIS** (special DOK 150LOE) draws attention to the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the railway station Oebisfelde <u>until the end of 2021</u> on HF and via satellite(CW, SSB, RTTY, digital modes). QSL via bureau. (TNX DXNL)
- **F, FRANCE** The following special event stations mark the establishing of the French space agency Centre National d'Etudes Spatiales (CNES) in 1961: **TK60CNES**, **TM60CNES**, **T060CNES**, and **TX60CNES**. QRV <u>from Dec. 18 until Jan. 2</u>. For more information see qrz.com. QSL via bureau and F1UJT. (TNX DXNL)
- **F, FRANCE** F1PHB, F5BQU, F5TLZ, F6BGH and F8EFU are active as **TM57MC** (Merry Christmas, <u>12-26 December</u>) and **TM57HNY** (Happy New Year, <u>29 December to 12 January</u>). QSL via F-11734, direct or bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- **G, ENGLAND** The Hull & District Amateur Radio Society (HADARS, G3AMW, G8GBY & M0KUH) celebrates its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary with the callsign **GB100H** <u>during 2021</u> on 160m-70cm. Operators are Bernard/G0SWO, Bryn/M0GPN, Chris/G1WSA, John/M0JBA, Steve/M0OYR, Tony/G0WJK, and Trevor/G7IWE. QSL via GB100H (d/B) and eQSL. (TNX DXNL)
- **G, ENGLAND** The British Railways Amateur Society (BRARS) celebrates its 55<sup>th</sup> anniversary as **GB0LMR** throughout the year. The group plans to get on the air alsoduring events like Railways on the Air. QRV mainly during daytime hours on 40-10m(SSB, PSK31/63). QSL via bureau or 2E1HQY (d). (TNX DXNL)
- **G, ENGLAND** Members of the Welland Valley Amateur Radio Society celebrate Christmas <u>during December</u> with the following callsigns: Dezember folgende Sonderstationen in die Luft: **GB1XMS** (OP G1IVG), **GB2XMS** (OP G4ISN), **GB5XMS** (OP G4XEX), and **GB9XMS** (OP G0SFJ). For QSL information see qrz.com. (TNX DXNL)
- **G, ENGLAND** Special callsign **GB75ISWL** will be active "on most bands and modes" throughout 2021 to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the International Short Wave League. QSL via bureau. <a href="https://www.iswl.org.uk/">https://www.iswl.org.uk/</a> (TNX 425DX)
- **GM, SCOTLAND** On 12 December 1921 the very first personal message transmitted over the Atlantic from amateur to amateur was received in Scotland by Paul Godley (2ZE), who had travelled to the UK as the representative of the ARRL. The successful transatlantic tests of 1921 were a milestone that heralded the dawn of two-way international amateur radio communication. In celebration of this historic centenary, the Crocodile Rock Amateur Group, based near Ardrossan (Scotland), will be active as **GB1002ZE** and **GB2ZE** on 1-26 December. (TNX 425DX)
- **HA, HUNGARY** Celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty System, Tamas, HA6LT will be active as **HA60ANT** <u>until end 2021</u>. (TNX 425DX)
- **HB9, SWITZERLAND** Celebrating the the 100th anniversary of the historic Transatlantic Tests of December 1921, members of the HB4FR Amateur Radio Club will be active as **HB1BCG** on 1-31 December (1BCG was the callsign of the Connecticut station whose message crossed the Atlantic Ocean to be received in Scotland). QSL via HB9ACA. (TNX 425DX)
- **HB9, SWITZERLAND** Look for **HB60ANT** <u>until end 2021</u>. This to mark the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty. QSL via Club Log OQRS. See more on QRZ.com. **HI, DOMINICAN REP HI95RCD** celebrates the 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Dominican Radio Club <u>until the end of 2021</u> on 160m-70cm on CW, SSB, FM, and FT8. QSL via RW6HS (d), LoTW, eQSL. (TNX DXNL)
- **HZ, SAUDI ARABIA HZ19SAT** commemorates the launch of the first Saudi Arabian Cubesat 19 years ago <u>until December 28</u>. QSL via HZ1SAR. (TNX DXNL)
- I, ITALY II1DCC ("Drake & Collins Collectors") is the special callsign for a "vintage activity" to be conducted <u>until end 2021</u>. Marco, IK1RAE and other operators will use exclusively Drake and Collins pieces of equipment, and will be QRV on the HF bands (30,17 and 12 metres excluded) SSB, CW and maybe AM. QSL via the bureau to IK1RAE. (TNX 425DX)
- **I, ITALY** Special callsign **II6OANT** (II6 Oscar ANT) has been issued for Gianni I1HYW to take part in the celebrations for the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty System. Look for activity from 1 October to 31 December. QSL via home call. A resume of the certificates available for

- contacting the various commemorative stations can be found on <a href="http://www.waponline.it/6oats-anniversary/6oats-awards/">http://www.waponline.it/6oats-anniversary/6oats-awards/</a> (TNX 425DX)
- **I, ITALY** The ARI Fidenza Club (IQ4FE) issues an award "Elettra: The Miracle Ship" <u>in2021</u>, drawing attention to Marconi's yacht Elettra and its significance in his radio experiments. During August, **II4MWS** commemorates initial experiments with equipment in the microwave range in 1931. QSL via IQ4FE. (TNX DXNL)
- **I, ITALY** Members of AMSAT Italia commemorate Gagarin's flight into space <u>until the end of the year</u> with the callsign **IIOSAT** on HF and via satellite. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8N1MORSE**, operated by members of the A1 Club and the Denpaken Club,celebrates Samuel Morse's 230<sup>th</sup> birthday and the 120<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Marconi's first transatlantic transmission <u>until the end of February 2022</u>. For more information see thewebsite. QSL via bureau and Club Log OQRS. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8J2SUSON** continues to celebrate the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the city Susono<u>until the end of 2021</u>. All QSOs to be confirmed automagically via the bureau. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN** Members of the Okinawa Amateur Radio Station celebrate their club's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary <u>until the end of 2021</u> with the callsign **8N60HAM**. QSL via bureau. (TNXDXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8N1FT** celebrates the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Futtsu-City <u>until the end of March2022</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed with a card automatically, logs will be uploaded to LoTW. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8J1ME** (eastern Japan) and **8J3ME** (western Japan) celebrate on all bands and modes the 55<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Mitsubishi Electric Amateur Radio Club <u>until end 2021</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau, neither LoTW nor eQSL will be used. (TNX 425DX)
- **JA, JAPAN** 8J2I celebrates the founding of the city Ichinomiya 100 years ago. QRV until the end of February 2022. All QSOs will be confirmed with a bureau card. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8J100CB** celebrates the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Chiba-City <u>until the end ofMarch 2022</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed with a card automatically. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN** Look for **8J1TSN** to celebrate the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Takeda Shingen <u>untilend 2021</u>. Operation on HF, VHF and UHF using CW, FM, SSB, RTTY and FT8. QSL via bureau, no cards needed.
- **JA, JAPAN** Members of JARL Joetsu Club is active as **8N0J** <u>until end April 2022</u>. This tocelebrate the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the city of Joetsu, Niigata. All QSO's will be confirmed automatically. QSL direct if needed via JJ0AWX. (TNX 425DX)
- **JA, JAPAN** Look for special calls **/60** to mark the Okinawa Amateur Radio 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Festival Activities <u>during 2021</u>. All stations QRV in Okinawa Prefecture mayuse the suffix. <a href="https://www.jarl.com/okinawa/">https://www.jarl.com/okinawa/</a>
- **LU, ARGENTINA** Special callsign **LO60CN** will be active at various times <u>until 31 December</u> to celebrate the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Servicio Auxiliar deRadioaficionados de la Armada (LU2CN), the Auxiliary Service of the Argentinian Navy Radio Amateurs. (TNX 425DX) **LU, ARGENTINA** Special event station **L21RCA** will be active <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Radio Club Argentino, the national IARU member society, which was
- founded on 21 October 1921. QSL via LoTW or via LU4AA (direct andbureau). (TNX 425DX) **LX, LUXEMBOURG** Commemorating the birth of Michael Faraday (22 September 1791), special event station **LX5MF** is on air <u>until March 26, 2022</u> in close cooperation with the Luxembourg Science Center. QSL via LX1KQ (but all QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau) and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
- **LX, LUXEMBOURG** Celebrating his 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary in amateur radio, Andy, LX1DA will be active as **LX40DA** <u>until 31 December</u>. QSL via LX1DA; the log will beuploaded to Club Log and (after the end of the year) to LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
- **LZ, BULGARIA** Bulgarian members of the High Speed Club (HSC) are active <u>throughout the year</u> as **LZ70HSC**, supported by the Student Radio Club at the TechnicalUniversity of Sofia. QSL via LZ2JE. (TNX DXNL)
- **LZ, BULGARIA** Special callsign **LZ70HSC** will be in use <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebratethe 70th anniversary of the Radio Telegraphy High Speed Club. QSL via LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
- **LZ, BULGARIA** Once again Radio Club Blagovestnik (LZ1KCP) will use twelve special callsigns throughout 2021 to honour as many different Orthodox saints: **LZ14MP** (December). QSL via the bureau or direct to P.O. Box 36, 4300 Karlovo, Bulgaria.
- LZ, BULGARIA LZ01MLN is the special callsign to be used <u>until 31 December 2022</u> by the LZ Contest Team to celebrate the 1,000,000th QSO made by the LZ9W Multi-Multi Contest Station (http://www.lz9w.com/). The mark was reached during this year's CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via LZ1PM. (TNX 425DX)
- **OA**, **PERU** Celebrating the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Peruvian independence, the Radio Club Peruano will activate four special callsigns until the end of the year: **OC200U** (December).

QSLs via OA4O. (TNX 425DX)

- **OA, PERU** The Radio Club Asociacion de Radioaficionados del Peru marks the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Peru's independence with the callsigns **OC4B**, **OC6B** and **OC7B** <u>until the end of the year</u>. QRV on 40, 20, 17, and 15m on SSB and FT8. For QSL information seeqrz.com. (TNX DXNL)
- **OE, AUSTRIA** Members of the Austrian DX Board (ADXB) celebrate their club's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary with the callsign **OE50ADXB** <u>during December</u> on HF on CW, SSB, and FT8. QSL via bureau, direct via OE1XBC. (TNX DXNL)
- **OE, AUSTRIA** The VIC Amateur Radio Contest DX Club (4U1A, https://4u1a.club/) is QRV as **4U1XMAS** on 12-31 December. These activities count for Austria for DXCC, and for the Vienna International Centre for the CQ DX Marathon. QSLs via UA3DX, direct or bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- OE, AUSTRÍA OE100BL is the special callsign issued to the Burgenlaendischer AmateurRadio Club for celebrating throughout 2021 the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary since Burgenland became an Austrian state. QSL via OE4JHW. Individual operators may also apply for OE100 to replace their prefix (e.g. OE4EIE will be signing OE100EIE). An award will beavailable, (TNX 425DX) OHO, ALAND ISL OHO100AX is for the Alands Radioamatorer (OH0A) to celebrate until 9 June 2022 the 100th anniversary of the Aland Islands' selfgovernment from Finland. The special callsign's suffix is the Internet country code top-level domain of the Aland Islands.
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- **OH, FINLAND OH9SCL** is once again active from Finnish Lapland ("Santa Claus Land") <u>during the month of December</u>. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or direct to Anssi Puuronen, Kemijoen Itapuolentie 1577, FI-97110 Rautiosaari, Finland. (TNX 425DX)
- **OH, FINLAND OF60RR** draws attention to the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the steel mill Rautaruukki. QRV <u>until March 2022</u>. QSL via bureau or via OH8DR direct. (TNX DXNL)
- OH, FINLAND The Market Reef DX Association (OH9A) runs the Christmas callsign OG1XMAS between Nov. 29 and Dec. 26. QSL via LoTW, Club Log. (TNX DXNL)
- OH, FINLAND EARN THE HIGHEST RECOGNITION FROM YOUR OH FRIENDS
- Just contact 100 (one hundred) of your OH friends <u>during 2021</u> and 10 (ten) specially featured Finnish stations to earn the OH Northern Light 100-year certificate (OH-NL-100) and the featured story, explaining the magic of the OH-land and the Northern Lights; Your 100 contact should include 50 OH stations and 50 OF stations, a total of 100. A special OF prefix will be launched to all OH stations on September15th, 2021. Your maximum point value can be 100. The number of your OF/OH contacts.

TEN SPECIAL ACTIVITY MULTIPLIERS

SRAL and its members are active in a wide range of Amateur Radio activities and each ofthe ten multipliers represent some of those activities. The multiplying stations are; **OH100SRAL**, **OH2A**, **OH0W**, **OJ0C**, **OF2HQ**, **OH2YOTA**, **OG2B**, **OH6SRAL**, **OI3AX** and **OF9X**.

https://tinyurl.com/eb8dmpb2

- **OK, CZECH REPUBLIC** The radio club Chrudim celebrates its 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary with thecallsign **OL75KCR** <u>until the end of the year</u>. QSL via Club Log OQRS. (TNX DXNL)
- **OM, SLOVAK REPUBLIC** Radioklub Partizanske will be active as **OM77PA** in various contests throughout 2021. The special callsign pays a tribute to Peter Martiska (OM3PA), the club's chairman and leading operator for fifty years, who passed away on 3 January aged 77. QSL via OM4MM. (TNX 425DX)
- **ON, BELGIUM** Celebrating the 60th anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty, members of UBA Section NOK (ON4NOK) will be active as **OQ60ANT** <u>from 1 November to 31 December</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau; logsearch and OQRS on Club Log. (TNX 425DX)
- **ON, BELGIUM** Look for **OR40NOL** <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the section NOL. 3 Awards will be available: gold, silver and bronze. More on QRZ.com.
- **ON, BELGIUM OR95B** celebrates the 95th anniversary of the Belgian national railway comapny until the end of 2021. QSL via OR4K (B). (TNX DXNL)
- **OZ, DENMARK** Radio amateurs around the world can obtain an anniversary award by having contacts using CW, Phone or Digital modes with SES **OZ5ØDDXG** <u>during 2022</u>.
- The anniversary callsign may be contacted once a month, on each band and with each modulation type. Each approved contact counts 1 point.
- The award can be sent by e-mail (free of charge) or by postal mail for 10 USD. Application is sent to award manager OZ4CG Carsten oz4cg@live.dk
- **OZ, DENMARK** Frank/5P2BA will be active with the callsign **XP1SC** from Denmark and maybe other European countries (not from Greenland) <u>between Nov. 25 and Jan. 6</u> next year. QSL via OZ2CBA. (TNX DXNL)
- PA, THE NETHERLANDS Special callsigns PA21XMAS and PD21SANTA will be active on

- 1-31 December, while **PD22HNY** will be QRV from 1 December through January. QSL cards will not be issued, but a certificate will be available for download. (TNX 425DX) **PA, THE NETHERLANDS** Hans, PA7HPH will be using special callsign **PC19VACCIN** from 13

  November to 31 December. See qrz.com for more information about this activity. QSL via PA7HPH (bureau preferred). (TNX 425DX)
- **PA, THE NETHERLANDS** Special callsigns **PC375BR** (operated by PC2LR), **PD37500** (operated by PD4L), **PA375KL** (operated by PC2F) and **PA375YN** (operated by PA7ML) will celebrate the 375th anniversary of Brooklyn <u>until the end of the year</u>. Named after the Dutch town of Breukelen, the most populous of New York City's boroughs was settledin 1646 by the Dutch West India Company for their colony of New Netherland. (TNX 425DX) <a href="http://lea.hamradio.si/scc/diploma\_30let/index\_eng.htm">http://lea.hamradio.si/scc/diploma\_30let/index\_eng.htm</a>
- **S5, SLOVENIA** Special event station **S522PMC** will be active from 3 December to 2 January 2022 to promote the PMC Contest, sponsored by the Radio Club Slovenj Gradec (S59DCD). All QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau. The International Association of Peace Messenger Cities was established in 1988 to recognize and encourage the role and responsibility cities have in creating a culture of peace. The PMC Contest, promoting contacts between stations located in the Peace Messenger Cities and the rest of the world, will be held on 1-2 January. (TNX 425DX) **S5, SLOVENIA** The Slovenian Amateur Radio Union will celebrate the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Independence with a special award. For this event only until end 2021, the Slovenian amateur radio stations can use special call signs. Those will add the number **30**« into the suffix. For example: S50ZZ will be S5030ZZ, S51A will be S5130A, S57XXX will be S5730XXX etc. In order to obtain the award a foreign amateur radio station must have at least 30 contacts with an S5 stations (regular and special call signs apply), out ofwhich 10 or more with special prefixes (\*30\*). The use of any band/mode counts for the Award. Applications to scc@hamradio.si
- SM, SWEDEN <u>During 2021</u>, SD400SU celebrates the 400<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the city Sundsvall. Operators are the members of the Sundsvall Amateur Radio Club (SK3BG).QSL via SM3NXS (d/B), Club Log OQRS. (TNX DXNL)
- **SM, SWEDEN SK75AT** is the special call for the Foreningen Umea Radioamatorer Club (SK2AT) to celebrate its 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary <u>until end 2021</u>. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW and Club Log. (TNX 425DX)
- **SP, POLAND** Special callsign **SO39SYBIR** will be active <u>until 10 February 2022</u> to promote the newly inaugurated Sybir Memorial Muse- um in Bialystok.QSL via SP4PZM. (TNX 425DX)
- **SP, POLAND SNOZOSP** and **SN100ZOSP** celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Association of the Voluntary Fire Brigades of the Republic of Poland <u>until February 5,2022</u>. QSL for SN0ZOSP via SP9ODM, SN100ZOSP via SP9SPJ. (TNX DXNL)
- **SP, POLAND HF100LEM**, operating from Krakow, marks the 100<sup>th</sup> birthday of thePolish writer Stanislaw Lem <u>during 2021</u>. QSL via SP9PKZ. (TNX DXNL)
- **SV, GREECE** Amateur radio operators from Greece have been granted permission to use special prefixes <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Greek Revolutionof 1821 which led to the formation of modern Greece. The special prefixes do not differentiate the call areas: Class 1 licensees can replace SV# with **SX200** (e.g.
- SX200AEL is SV2AEL, while SX200RMA is SV8RMA and SX200COL is SV9COL), Class 2 licensees can replace SY# with **SY200**, club stations can replace SZ# with **SZ200**. (TNX425DX) **SV, GREECE** 200 Years of Greek Independence Award On air <u>during 2021</u>.
- The Greek War of Independence, also known as the Greek Revolution (Greek: Ελληνική Επανάσταση, Elliniki Epanastasi; referred to by Greeks in the 19th century as simply the Αγώνας, Agonas, "Struggle", was a successful war of independence waged by Greek revolutionaries against the Ottoman Empire between 1821 and 1830. Any Greek station, foreigners Greeks or friends of Greece all over the world may join "200 Years of Greek Independence Award". All mode and types of QSO are valid. Award manager is SV2RCK. https://sv2rck.gr/200YEARS/
- **SV, GREECE SZ200P** is a special callsign for the Radio Amateur Association of Western Peloponnese to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Greek Revolution of 1821. Activitystarted on 9 April and will go through the end of the year. QSL via LoTW and eQSL. (TNX425DX) **UA, RUSSIA** Celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty, the Russian Robinson Club will operate twelve special callsigns from Russia (**R60ANT**, **RA60ANT**, **R860ANT**, **R860ANT**,
- RT60ANT, RU60ANT and RZ60ANT), plus RI60ANT from the Antarctic continent on 1 October-31 December. QSL for all call- signs via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), or via RZ3EC. (TNX 425DX)
- **UR, UKRAINE** In addition to callsigns already mentioned (DXNL 2263), there are more special calls celebrating Ukraine'S independence <u>until the end of 2021</u>: **EM30UARL,**

EM30AUARL, EM30BUARL, EM30CUARL, EM30DUARL, EM30EUARL, EM30FUARL, EM30GUARL, EM30HUARL, EM30IUARL, EM30KUARL, EM30LUARL, EM30MUARL, EM30NUARL, EM30PUARL, EM30QUARL, EM30RUARL, EM30SUARL, EM30TUARL, EM30VUARL, EM30WUARL, EM30XUARL, EM30YUARL, EM30ZUARL and EM30LRU.

For QSL information see qrz.com. (TNX DXNL)

**UR, UKRAINE** Nikolay UX0FF celebrates his 50<sup>th</sup> year on the air with the callsign **EO50FF** <u>during 2021</u>. QSL via UX0FF direct or bureau, LoTW, eQSL.

**UR, UKRAINE EM60KTS** marks the Antarctic Treaty System <u>until end 2021</u>. QSL viaIK2DUW (d), Club Log. (TNX DXNL)

**UR, UKRAINE** The radio club Pryluky (UR4RZX) marks its 10th anniversary with the callsign **EN10RKP** between Dec. 15 and Jan. 31. An award is also available. QSL via bureau and UV3RT (d). (TNX DXNL)

UR, UKRAINE Members of the school radio club UT1KWA celebrate their club's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary with the callsign **EO20KWA** until end 2021. QSL via IK2DUW and Club Log.(TNX DXNL) UR, UKRAINE Special calls **EM150PLU**, **EN150PLU** and **EO150PLU** are active <u>during 2021</u> to commemorate the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Lesya Ukrainka (1871-1913), one of Ukrainian literature's foremost writers. QSL via operator's instructions. (TNX 425DX) VE, CANADA The Signal Hill National Historic Site is the location where Guglielmo Marconi received the very first wireless transatlantic message on 12 December 1901. Commemorating the 120th anniversary of that historic event, the Society of Newfoundland Radio Amateurs will operate special callsign VD1M on 1-31 December. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or direct to VO1IDX. (TNX 425DX)

**VE, CANADA** Special callsign **VX3INSULIN** will be active on 1-31 December to mark the 100th anniversary since a team of researchers at the University of Toronto discovered insulin. The operations will be primarily digital, with FT8 and FT4 being the dominant modes of use. QSL via VE3NOO (direct or bureau) and eQSL. (TNX 425DX)

**VK, AUSTRALIA VI50SG** celebrates the 50th anniversary of the St. George AmateurRaio Society <u>until the end of 2021</u>. QSL via VK2LE (d/B), eQSL. (TNX DXNL)

**VR, HONG KONG** As one of the most popular icons in modern history, the legendary martial arts master Bruce Lee still inspires people worldwide more then 47 years after hispassing. His great achievements transcend territories, time and disciplines. His charisma radiated from the silver screen, his prowess amazed the martial arts community, his profound legacy lives on forever in the hearts of people. To salute the all-time superstar,

Hong Kong 1555th Kowloon Group (VR2CS) presents a Special Event

call **VR2BLEE** operated by Igor VR2ZQZ. Operation until end January 2022.

**YB, INDONESIA 7B2C**, **7B2E**, **7B2T**, **7B2H**, and **7B2O** draw attention to the Javanese-Hindu Ceto Temple, built in 1475. QRV <u>until the end of October in 2022</u> on 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10m (SSB, FT8). QSL via eQSL. (TNX DXNL)

YU, SERBIA Members of the Serbian CW Club are active as YT165TESLA until the end of the year to commemorate the 165th anniversary of the birth of Nikola Tesla (10 July 1856). QSL via the bureau, LoTW, or direct to YU1MM. (TNX 425DX)

**YU, SERBIA** Members of the Amateur Radio Club Novi Sad celebrate their city's status as European Capital of Culture 2022 with the callsign **YU2022NS** <u>until Dec. 30</u>. QSL viaYU7BPQ. (TNX DXNL)

YV, VENEZUELA <u>During 2021</u>, YW200BC commemorates the Battle of Carabobo 200 years ago, which paved the way for Venezuela's independence. QRV on 80-10m on CW,SSB, and digital modes. QSL via YV4KW. (TNX DXNL)

**ZL, NEW ZEALAND ZL25NZ** is the special callsign for Jacky, ZL3CW to celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary since he immigrated to New Zealand. The callsign is valid <u>for one year</u>.QSL via ZL3CW and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)